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Applicant : Michael Porter Confirmation No. 4436  
Application No. : 10/753,132  
Filed : January 7, 2004  
Title : PROGRAMMABLE RESTRICTED ACCESS FOOD STORAGE  
CONTAINER AND BEHAVIOR MODIFICATION ASSISTANT  
Grp./Div. : 2612  
Examiner : Vernal U. Brown  
Docket No. : 49433/P689

NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER  
TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Commissioner for Patents  
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Commissioner:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Office action dated August 21, 2006 of the Primary Examiner's final rejection of claims 1-24.

X  A Petition for Extension of Time and the fee are enclosed.  
 X  Our check for \$250.00 to cover the fee for this appeal is enclosed.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required by this paper to Deposit Account No. 03-1728. Please show our docket number with any charge or credit to our Deposit Account. **A copy of this letter is enclosed.**

Respectfully submitted,

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